

## AN EXOTIC FLOTILLA OF TRADITIONAL JUNKS



The boats are delights in themselves. Completely authentic junks combining Malay and Dutch influences, they harken back to a bygone age of pirates and smugglers.

Our fleet comprises three fully equipped and insured vessels with a total capacity of 80, that is 20, 20 and 40 respectively. Each boat features:

- A comfortable sun deck with mattresses.
- Clean western style toilets.
- A fully stocked bar.
- Ample snorkeling equipment.
- Safety equipment, life jackets, inflatable life rafts.
- A canopy covering three quarters of the deck.

Note: Each of our speed boats has a capacity of 20 people.

### The *Asian Oasis* Collection

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June Bahtra



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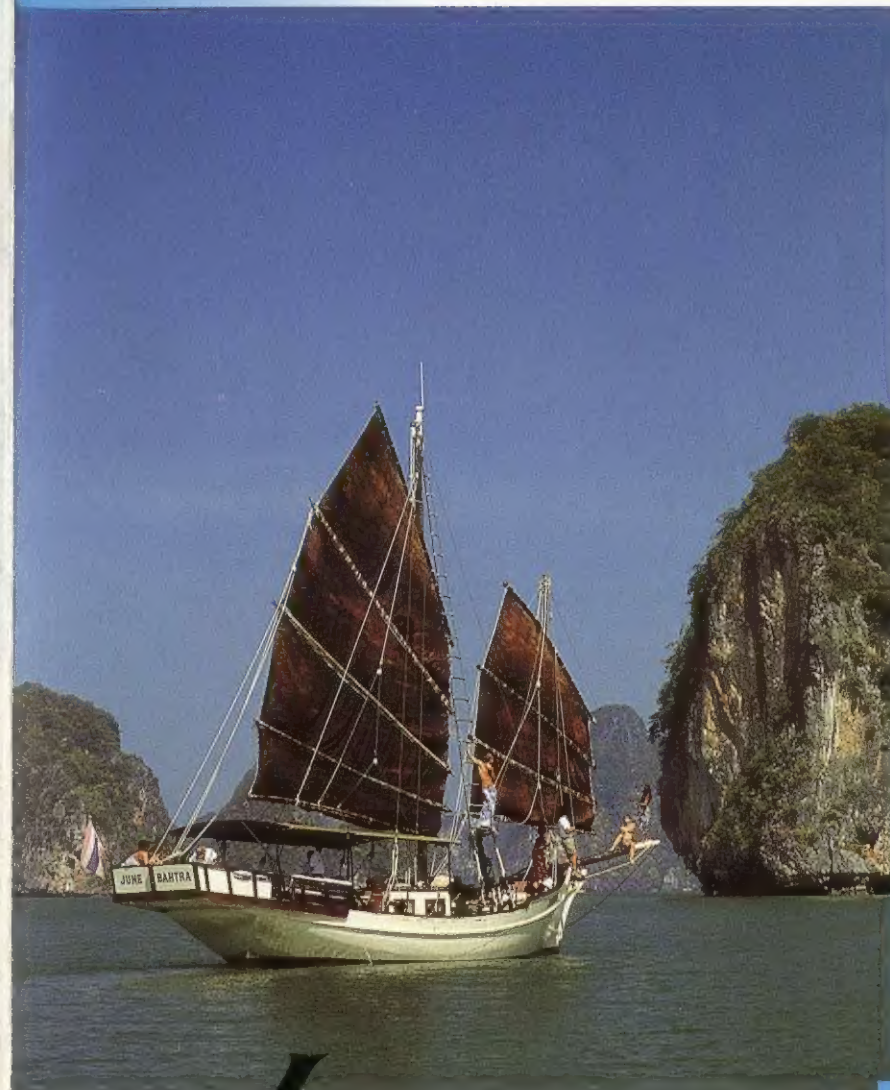
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The Magical  
Phang Nga  
Bay Cruise

# June Bahtra



Phang Nga Bay is the ideal group excursion - for what could be more enthralling than a flotilla of three junks against a backdrop of some of the world's most stunning scenery.

### ***SPEED BOAT EXTRAVAGANZA***

*(Total capacity 160 people, back to back)*

Enjoy the morning aboard the June Bahtra and then after lunch an exhilarating speed boat ride to the deserted beaches to snorkel in a coral paradise and feed the clown fishes at Ko Kai Nok.

### ***PHANG NGA DISCOVERY***

*(Total capacity 160 people, back to back)*

For a large group on a limited budget, the perfect solution is for half the passengers to board a coach from Phuket to the Sea Gypsy Village and visit the Buddha Caves and then board the June Bahtra for the trip back while the second half of the passengers sail in the morning and return by coach. The two groups can meet at the Sea Gypsy Village for lunch.

### ***SUNSET AND DINNER CRUISE***

Short cruises of 2 to 3 hours with cocktails or buffet dinners are available on a daily basis upon request.







JUNE BAHTRA  
THE MAGICAL  
PHANG NGA  
BAY CRUISE





## JUNE BAHTRA A FANTASY AT PHANG NGA

Lie back on the deck cushions in a gentle breeze under the sun canopy and let our experienced crew sail you through the wonders of Phang Nga Bay. Why flock to this idyllic stretch with masses of tourists when you can avoid the crowds entirely. Especially aboard the majestic June Bahtra, a traditional junk rigged schooner that traverses the lush tropical archipelago from Phuket to Phang Nga.

### THE MAGICAL PHANG NGA BAY CRUISE ('Join in' for daily departures)

07.30: A hotel pick-up in Phuket and transfer by air-conditioned mini-bus to the June Bahtra.

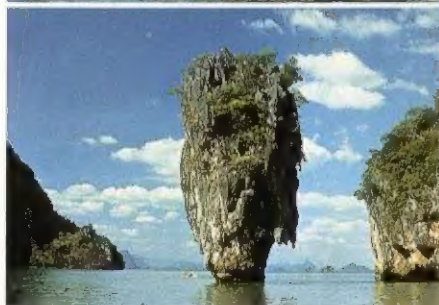
Cruise along the dramatic limestone formations that surround Phang Nga Bay.

11.15: Arrive at James Bond Island. Then cruise to the exotic Sea Gypsy Village and Grotto Caves through the mangrove delta by long tail boat.

13.00: A mouth watering Thai lunch is served on board. The afternoon is free to relax, sunbathe and swim.

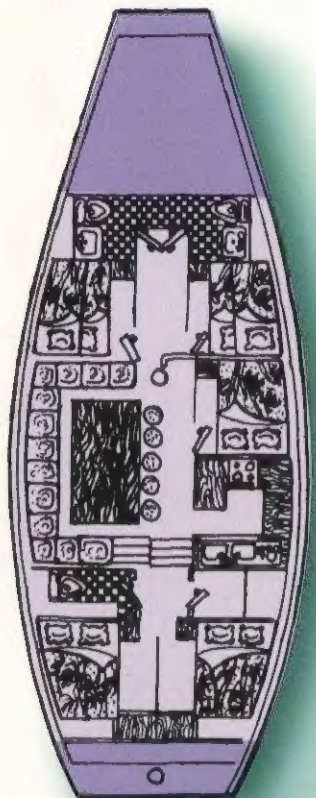
18.00: Sail back to Phuket and transfer to hotel.

- There are three departures daily with a joint capacity of up to 80 passengers in three boats.
- For groups and incentives, charter cruises are available upon request.





# COMFORT A FLOAT



The boat is a treasure in itself - an authentic junk with Asian rigging, it blends western comfort with oriental charm and provides spacious accommodation for up to 10 people. It includes:

- Three double and two twin cabins, each with wall mounted fans and generous storage space.
- Three fully equipped 'heads', complete with basins and showers.
- A sea canoe, fishing tackle, snorkeling gear and sunbathing mattresses.
- A teak deck for al fresco dining and a canopy for shade.

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The Tropical  
Island Cruise

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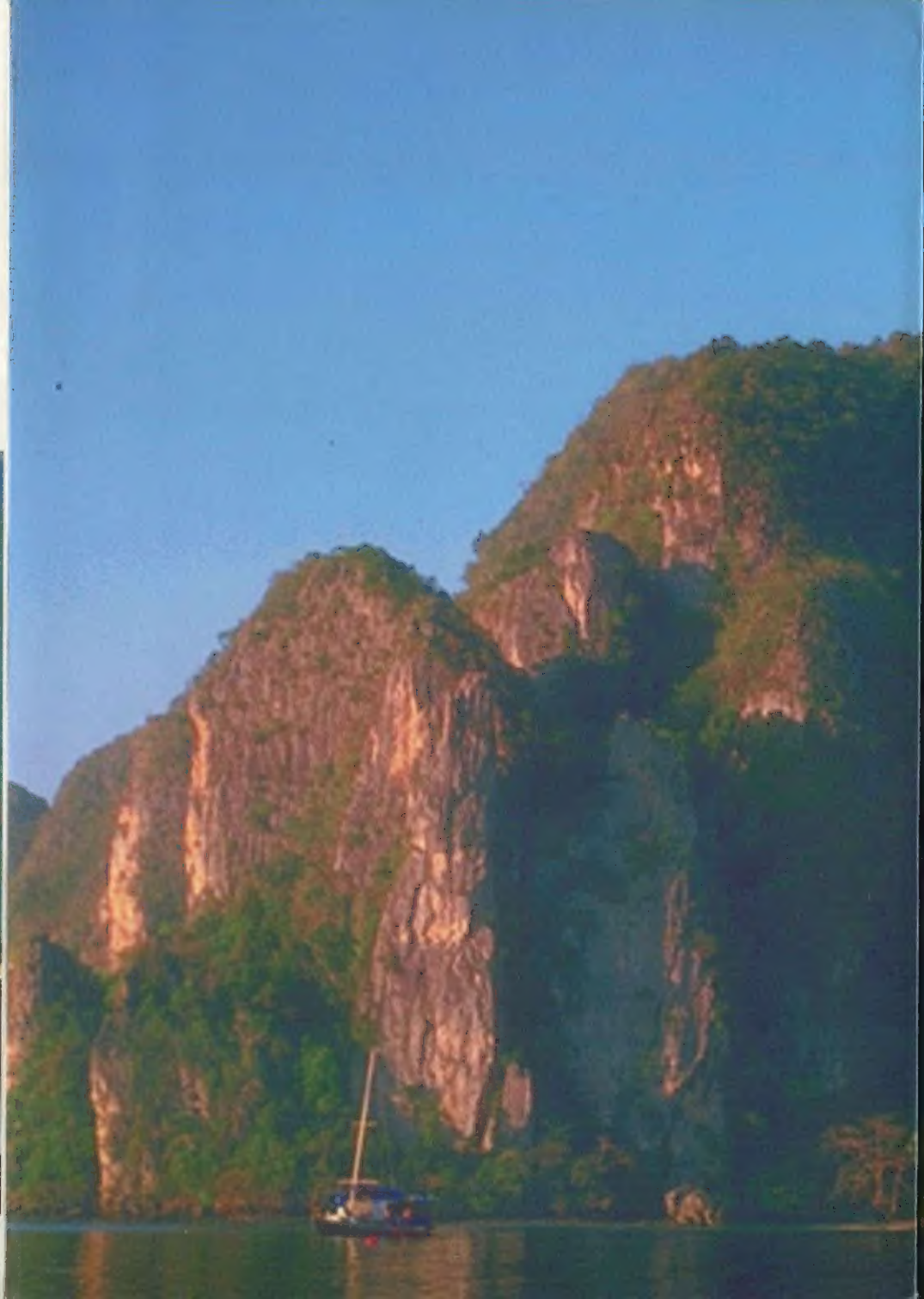


## *SAILING MAGICAL PHANG NGA BAY*

Thailand's southern coastline must surely rank as one of the most stunning in the world. Right from the tip of Burma through to the holiday paradise of Phuket up to balmy Malaysia, lush green limestone cliffs soar from the crystal clear waters. And if you think it looks like something out of a movie, you'd be right - a James Bond movie no less.

At Phi Phi Island the combination of beautiful coral and emerald waters create a snorkelers' dream come true. Rocky cliffs soar a thousand feet above to shelter the host of underwater caves below.

Whilst aboard the Suwan Macha, simply relax and allow the captain and his crew of three attend to the details from splicing the sails to slicing the lime for your first drink of the day. Indulge yourself in the pleasures of life on the ocean wave: sumptuous feasts of Thai and Continental cuisine from the galley, sunbathing, sightseeing, snorkeling and canoeing.







SUWAN MACHA  
THE TROPICAL ISLAND  
CRUISE







## ESCAPE TO THE TROPICAL ISLANDS

Imagine yourself stretched out on the sun-soaked deck of an exquisite, meticulously crafted oriental yacht. As the junk slips through the tropical sea, you sip lazily from your ice cold cocktail and marvel at the spectacular seascape around you; picture postcard skies, sparkling azure waters and a breathtaking island shoreline with beautiful natural bays.

Such is life on the decks of the Suwan Macha, which offers two itineraries, each lasting 4 days and 3 nights.

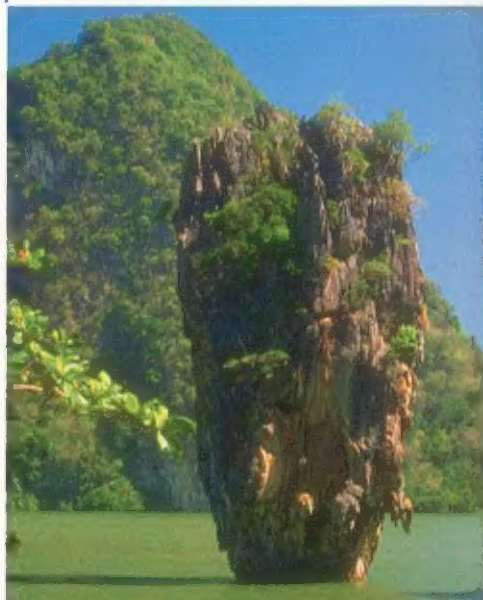
### YOUR ITINERARY

#### DAY 1 : PHUKET - PHANG NGA

Hotel pick-up on Saturday in Phuket and transfer by air-conditioned mini-bus to the Suwan Macha. It sets sail for Phang Nga Bay and arrives at James Bond Island in time for the glorious sunset. The day comes to a perfect end as a mouth watering Thai seafood dinner is served on board.

#### DAY 2 : PHANG NGA - KRABI

After an American breakfast on deck, a cruise of the dramatic limestone formations that surround Phang Nga Bay before a visit to the exotic Sea Gypsy Village through the mangrove delta by long tail boat. Lunch is served under sail to Krabi and the afternoon is spent snorkeling, swimming and sunbathing by a deserted island.



#### DAY 3 : KRABI - PHI PHI ISLANDS

After a hearty breakfast on deck, it's a pleasant morning's sail to the idyllic Phi Phi Islands for lunch followed by an afternoon of snorkeling, swimming and sunbathing. Dinner is served on deck and the evening is free to explore the delights of Phi Phi.

#### DAY 4 : PHI PHI ISLANDS - PHUKET

The customary breakfast is followed by a discovery cruise of the islands. After lunch, it's a change of craft for an air-conditioned motor boat and a jaunt to the truly awe inspiring Viking Caves before finally steering a course back to your hotel in Phuket, arriving at approximately 18.00 on Tuesday.

### THE CHOICE IS YOURS

Alternatively you can leave Phuket at 08.00 on Tuesdays for Phi Phi Island via air-conditioned motor boat. There you can board the Suwan Macha after lunch and take the entire cruise in reverse, disembarking in Phuket at 11.00 on Friday. For private charter arrangements, please do not hesitate to consult us.